

**State of Vermont  
Executive Department  
A Proclamation**

**WHEREAS**, the importance of nutrition in maintaining good health is well established; and

**WHEREAS**, excellent nutrition is even more critical to those individuals in health care facilities;  
And

**WHEREAS**, we rely on our foodservice professionals to create and deliver meals that are  
flavorful and nutritious; and

**WHEREAS**, foodservice and nutrition professionals in health care play a vital role in promoting  
recovery and maintaining the well-being of patients; and

**WHEREAS**, these dedicated individuals deserve our thanks for providing food and nutrition  
services in health care;

**NOW THEREFORE**, I, Peter Shumlin, Governor, do proclaim October 3 – 9, 2016 as

**HEALTH CARE FOODSERVICE WORKERS WEEK**

in Vermont.



Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Vermont  
on this 27th day of September, A.D. 2016

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a stylized 'P' followed by a long horizontal line.

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Peter Shumlin  
Governor